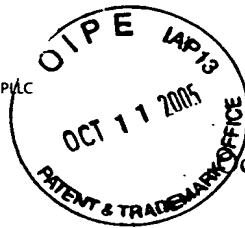


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Re: Application of Takanori MIYOSHI, Shinya KOMURA, Hiroyoshi  
MINEMATSU, and Ryuji NONOKAWA  
CATALYST-SUPPORTING FIBER STRUCTURE AND PRODUCTION  
PROCESS OF THE SAME  
Assignee: **TEIJIN LIMITED**  
Our Ref: Q90847

Dear Sir:

The following documents are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. §371 and in accordance with the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- ☒ a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ an English translation of the International Application.
- ☒ twenty-three (23) sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-23).
- ☒ Article 34 amendment.
- ☒ a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form.
- ☒ an Information Disclosure Statement and a copy of the ISR.
- ☒ Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document.
- ☒ a PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) listing the ISR references.

In addition to the documents submitted herewith, it is assumed that copies of the International Application, the International Search Report and cited references, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by §371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned will undertake to provide them upon request.

It is expressly requested that the national stage of processing be commenced immediately in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 371(f).



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